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MARYLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the freſheſt Advices foreign and domeſtic.

THURSDAY, *December* 4, 1755.

LONDON, *Auguſt* 29.

THE preſent vigorous Exertion of our Naval Power affords a glorious Idea of the natural Strength of this Kingdom. *Great-Britain* how appears in all her Luſtre, and *Britons* have lately ſhewn that they ſtill retain their native Courage for which they were ever famous. Should the Reaſons be demanded why this noble Spirit has ſo long ſlept in the Arms of Indolence and Inactivity, it may be anſwer'd, many might be given for this pacific Diſpoſition of our Government. As firſt, it might be ſuggeſted that the large Debt, which lies ſo heavy upon this Nation, would not permit us to run headlong into a War, which might endanger a general Bankruptcy. Again; it is well known we have always a diſaffected Party among us, who greedily embrace every Occaſion to miſrepreſent the Government to render it contemptible and odious to the People, and that whatever Meaſures were purſued, and however well calculated to vindicate the Glory of the Nation, yet the evil Spirit of Malice and Diſaffection, would, by ſome Means or other, thwart and diſappoint the beſt concerted Schemes in the World. For theſe and many other Reaſons which might be given, our Miniſters have rather choſe to hearken to Expedients, and try the Methods of Negotiation, than haſtily recur to Arms, which might involve them and their Country in Difficulties more eaſily foreſeen than remedied. Our Enemies, who were perfectly acquainted with the critical Situation of our Affairs, knew how to improve it to their own Advantage, in Conſequence of which they were always ready to hearken to our Propoſals, and enter into Negotiations with our Miniſtry, ſtill artfully evading to come to the Point in Hand, and by plauſible Pretences lulling us into a fatal Security, while at the ſame Time they were hatching Schemes moſt pernicious to the Proſperity and Glory of this Crown and Kingdom. Their treacherous and underhand Practices at length became ſo glaring and obvious, that it was impoſſible to miſtake their Intentions, which indeed they took but little Pains to hide or palliate; ſo ſure were they of carrying their Deſigns into Execution. This rouz'd us from our Lethargy, and reviv'd that Spirit in our Counſels, which, heretofore, has commanded the Attention and Regard of the moſt powerful States of *Europe*. We reſolv'd no longer to be the Dupes of our own fears, or Succumb under the moſt violent breach of public Faith, and the repeated Inſults of our Enemies.

Now, what has been the Conſequence? Why, the *French*, ſeeing us reſolutely determin'd to do ourſelves Juſtice, complain that we are the Aggreſſors in the Breach of the Peace, by attacking their Fleet off *Newfoundland*: For which their Ambaſſador here has declar'd, 'That *Boſcawen*'s Proceedings 'ought to be conſider'd as acts of Piracy, and the *French* 'Officers would be juſtified by the Law of Nations, if they 'were to hang the Perſons guilty of them at the Yard-'Arm.'

The Ambaſſador, however wou'd have done well, if, before he had made this Declaration, he had offer'd ſome Reaſons to juſtify his Countrymen for the Depredations and Cruelties they have for ſome Years paſt been conſtantly exerciſing on the Properties and Perſons of the *Britiſh* Subjects in *America*, contrary to the Law of Nations, of Nature, and good Faith; and to convince our Miniſters, that theſe Invaſions and Inſults upon our Colonies were not as much acts of Hoſtility, as our Admiral's taking their Ships in the *American* Seas, when he knew they were carrying Forces which were deſign'd to complete the Reduction of the *Britiſh* Settlements under the *French* Dominion. It is much eaſier to deprive a known Enemy of the Means of hurting us, than to ſuffer the Miſchief he intends to take place, and afterwards to ſeek a Remedy. If I have certain Information that a Thief Deſigns to come and rob me, and plunder my Houſe, am I not juſtified in taking proper Meaſures to prevent it, by diſarming him and ſecuring his Perſon? Can he complain of Injuſtice, when the whole tenor of his Actions ſhew he is my Enemy, and is laying Schemes for my Ruin? I need not uſe Words to illuſtrate the Juſtneſs of the Parrellel, ſince it is evident to any Man of the leaſt Penetration.

A Letter from a Lady to her Huſband, a Lieutenant of a Man of War now at Spithead, ready to ſail.

BY your laſt kind Letter, I think it probable you may, ere this can reach Portſmouth, *be ſail'd; if not, receive from the tendereſt of Wives, my ardent Wiſhes for your Safety. I ſhould have been glad the contending Nations had determined on pacific Meaſures: If otherwiſe, the Call of Honour muſt be obeyed: And I hope your Conduct will approve you the Gentleman, and true Lover of your Country: Be aſſured, your Honour is as dear to me as your Life; how dear that is, my Behaviour, ſince I have been your Wife, muſt convince you. Should you be called to Action, remember that Courage without Conduct, is no better than Raſhneſs; it will be your Duty, I hope, to direct, under a Commander, whoſe Example will be worthy your Imitation, which, properly obſerved, may, ſome Time hence, be of great Service to you: Should it be otherwiſe, you may derive good to yourſelf from the Miſtakes of others, by avoiding the Rocks on which they ſplit; the beſt uſe we can make of the falſe Steps in the Injudicious: If you fight your Enemies and Conquer them, remember they are no longer to be look'd on as Enemies. Mercy is inſeparable from true Bravery. I think were I a Man, at leaſt as much Tenderneſs would be due from me to a conquer'd Foe, as to a boſom Friend; tho' ſubdued, they Merit protection and kind Treatment, and will ever after Eſteem the Perſon, who thus acting, is truly Honourable: Do not, my* Jemmy, *imagine, from my writing in this Strain, that I have the leaſt doubt of your being what I wiſh you; no, I only deliver my Sentiments, to ſhew you, how exactly they correſpond with your own. Whenever you think of me, as I am certain you often will, be aſſured, that I am in the chearful Performance of my Duty, acting a Part that will do you Honour and ſerve your Friends; who ſhall never have Reaſon to reproach you, for making me your Wife. My moſt fervent Prayers ſhall be offered to our merciful GOD, for your Preſervation, and our happy Meeting, which I ſhall wait with Patience, as I doubt not, but you will deſerve the Laurels that diſtinguiſh Heroes."*——

Auguſt 30. We muſt agree that there is ſomething very critical in the preſent State of Things: But it does not follow from thence, that the Public, that is the People in general, ſhould not think of them. The State of Things is at preſent critical, in a national Senſe, and it is abſurd to ſay, the People ſhall not mind their own Affairs: It is treating them like Slaves and Fools.

If they ought to think, then ſurely they ought to ſpeak: Who ſhould hinder them? Not thoſe who direct public Affairs; that is inconſiſtent with the Principles of our Conſtitution. The Privileges of their Repreſentatives, are the Privileges of the Commons of this Kingdom; and of theſe, the chief and greateſt Privilege is Freedom of Speech, which belongs therefore to them.

Beſides, it is not their Intereſt: If the People think with the Adminiſtration, their Voice ſanctifies their Conduct: If they differ in Sentiments from the Miniſters, it is a great Advantage to them to know it, that they may take proper Means to convince them of the Rectitude of their own Meaſures, ſince in a free Country, Unanimity is invincible.

His Pruſſian Majeſty has lately prohibited the Sale of Eaſt-India Commodities throughout his Dominions, except thoſe imported by the Embden Company, and alſo prohibited Eaſt-India Silks entirely, in order to favour the Silk Manufactures eſtabliſhed in his own Territories. All the World ſee and applaud this Attention in that Great Monarch, to the Manufactures and Commerce of his Subjects, and, in ſhort, the bold Steps he takes in order to favour them, without regarding whom it may affect or diſoblige. If a certain Nation had acted with the ſame Firmneſs, in regard to the Linen Manufacture, they had long ago acquired it. But the thorough Conſideration of this Buſineſs has been poſtponed out of Regard, as it is ſaid, to public Buſineſs as if the Acquiſition of a Manufacture was not the moſt important Part of public Buſineſs.

Perhaps the oldeſt Man in Great-Britain, has not known ſo general an Averſion for the French Nation as at this Time. To curb their Pride and mortify their Ambition is what High and Low, Rich and Poor among us, ſeem to make their Point of View. The following is a true Story, and will in ſome Meaſure, ſhew how the common People ſtand affected towards them: A Higgler paſſing through Hackney ſtopp'd at a Gentleman's Houſe, and pray'd his Lady to buy ſome of his Fowls. The Lady anſwer'd ſhe had been ſupplied the Day before, and did not want any, *Madam*, ſays the Fowl Merchant, *the Family that you ſucceeded uſed to buy of me, and I'll ſerve you very well, and very cheap; pray try me. See here, Madam, are two fine Fowls, you ſhall have them for twelve Pence each, becauſe it is to you, but your next Door Neighbour ſhould not have 'em for fifteen Pence.* Replies the Lady, *I can't believe you: Why ſhould you take a Shilling for a Fowl when you might have Fifteen Pence at the next Door? Madam*, ſays the Engliſh Higgler, *the Family next you is a French Family, and I aſſure you I would rather ſell a Fowl or a Duck to an Engliſh Gentlewoman for a Shilling, than for Fifteen Pence to a French Madame.*

September 11. The Chevalier has been ſeen lately Public at the French Court------and the Perſon that lately landed at Harwich is ſuppoſed to be an Agent of his; but it is hoped before this Time, that he is ſecured, as a printed Deſcription of him has been lately diſperſed through the Kingdom, by Means of the Exciſe Office.

On Friday Night about eight o'Clock, a Preſs-Gang, by the Stratagem of ſetting two Men to fight near St. Dunſtan's Church in Fleet-Street, raiſed a great Mob, of whom they carried away eleven Men for the King's Service.

From Paris they tell us, that the King has received a Courier from the Chevalier de la Touche, Miniſter at Berlin, with very ſatisfactory Diſpatches; and that his Moſt Chriſtian Majeſty is not leſs ſatisfied with the Diſpatches brought by a ſecond Courier from Madrid ſince they had the News of the taking of two French Men of War by Admiral Boſcawen's Squadron.

The SPEECH of an Indian, to the Government of Pennſylvania, in 1746.

'YOU Engliſh are as induſtrious as Bees. 'You, by Trading and Planting, heap up 'Honey on the South-Eaſt Shore; whilſt the 'French at Quebec increaſe like hunger and poor 'Hornets: They have nothing to loſe. But the 'warlike Hornets are ready at a Signal to ruſh in, 'and take Honey, Bees and all. You ſay you are 'rich and numerous, and therefore they durſt not 'hurt you. But you are not warlike, nor armed, 'and the more abundant the Honey the wider the 'Fragrancy ſpreads, and the more it exciteth the 'Hornets: And the Hawk is never frighted at 'the Number or Fatneſs of the Pidgeons.'

Some People, who have great Landed Eſtates, ſay, the Expence of a War is of ſo much Conſequence, that at all Events it ſhould be avoided, even to the putting up of Injuries; but we preſume, that they don't conſider that the Money for this great, noble, and neceſſary Preparation muſt be raiſed; and the Expence is almoſt the ſame as if we were actually at War, and that the only Way effectually to hinder future Encroachments, and a War when France is better provided, is to puſh it now on with Vigour, when our Fleet is mann'd and commanded by experienced Officers under the Direction of thoſe who have lately ſhewn (no doubt by Orders before the Fleet ſail'd) that Britons would be Britons, and not meanly pocket Inſults done to their King and Country, by a proud and perfidious Nation.

Sept. 12. It is thought that ſome of our Funds will recover from their low Ebb, becauſe it is whiſpered that the Govenment has made ſure of a large Sum from certain immenſely rich Owners of Coal-Mines, whenever the War ſhall oblige the Miniſtry to call upon them. The News of General Braddock's Defeat arrived here on a Saturday Night, when there were no Jews in the Alley: And the People had all Sunday to recover themſelves in. Had it not been for this Circumſtance, Stocks would have been below 90; which may ſtill happen, if we meet with ſuch another Repulſe: So little Firmneſs have many People.

According to ſome Letters from Peterſburg, the Subſidy to be paid for the Body of 60 or 70,000 Ruſſians hired by the Britiſh Court is fixed at Sixty Thouſand Pounds.

BOSTON,

BOSTON, *October* 23.

We hear from Providence, that on Saturday last, three Men of some Distinction in those Parts, stood in the Pillory there, and had their Ears Cropp'd, and were Branded, for Counterfeiting Dollars and the Bills of that Colony. [*Men of* DISTINCTION *indeed! Pillory'd, Cropp'd, and Branded!*]

And that Two others were brought in Guilty the Day before, of being concerned in Counterfeiting said Bills; and that several others were committed to Goal, to be Tried at their next Court for the same Crime. [*More Men of Distinction.*]

November 10. Last Thursday was Se'nnight Capt. Joseph Trout, in the Snow Union, bound from London to this Port, was cast away, and stove to Pieces, at the Back of Province Town, on Cape-Cod; it being a dark and stormy Season, six of the People out of nine were drowned; the Master, with Mr. Barret, the Mate, and the Boatswain, with much Hazard got ashore; but the two former died soon after, through the Cold and Fatigue, and only the latter was saved. The dead Bodies were taken up and buried. Some Part of the Cargo was beat up with the Tides, and the other Part sunk. About 14 or 15 Tons of the Goods were afterwards taken up by a Schooner, with the Assistance of some Whale-boats; and in bringing the Goods up hither, the said Schooner ran ashore upon George's Island, on Monday Night, being very dark, from whence they have been brought up in a Lighter.

Yesterday Afternoon arrived here, after a Passage of 40 Days from Calais, Captain Barnard, who informs, that the 20 Gun Ship which had the Governor of South Carolina on board, bound there from England, had been taken and sent into France: That upon Information thereof to his most Christian Majesty, he immediately dismissed her, and she was permitted to proceed on her Voyage.

NEW-YORK, *November* 10.

Wednesday last being the Fifth of November, the happy Day on which the horrid Conspiracy of blowing up the King and both Houses of Parliament, was discovered; a large Body of the Mobility in Town assembled as usual, and in Derision to the three PRINCIPAL CONFEDERATES in so HELLISH an Invention, *to wit*, the DEVIL, the POPE, and the PRETENDER, at Night carried about the City in a Bier, their three Effigies, hideously formed, and as humourously contrived, the Devil standing close behind the Pope, seemingly paying his Compliments to him, with a three prong'd Pitchfork in one Hand, with which at Times he was made to thrust his Holiness on the Back, and a Lanthorn in the other, the young Pretender standing before the Pope, waiting his Commands. In their Rout through the Streets they stopt at the French General's Lodgings, where a Guard was ordered to prevent Mischief by the Mob. The General sent down some Silver to the Carriers, with which after giving three Huzzas, they march'd off to a proper Place, and set Fire to the Devil's Tail, burning the Three to Cinders.

November 17. Col. Peter Schuyler, who commanded the New-Jersey Regiment, is arrived at Schenectady from Oswego, and we have the agreeable Information, that 3 Days before he left the Camp, 13 Indian Families arrived there from Oswegatie, an Indian Settlement, protected by a French Fort, on the Banks of the River St. Lawrence, about 60 Miles below the Garrison of Frontenac. These Indians are of the Six Nations in Alliance with us, but disgusted at our former Treatment, went over to the French. General Shirley thought it of Importance to his Majesty's Service, to regain them to the British Interest, and for that Purpose employed some of their own Relations, who have thus far happily succeeded. The Officers at Oswego are assured by these Families, who, in their Way, were at Fort Frontenac, that there is not the least Appearance there, of any military Preparations, and that the Remainder of the Six Nations at Oswegatie, being 18 Families more, would soon follow them, firmly resolved never again to return to the French Interest.

Camp at Lake George, *November* 7, 1755.

"In my last I took Notice of two Scouts sent out, one to South Bay, which brought no Accounts worth mentioning; but the other, under the Command of Capt. Rogers, a Newhampshire Man, with 3 Battoes, and 22 Men in all, came in Sight of the French Centinels, at the Beginning of the Narrows of the Lake. He immediately concealed himself, to wait an Opportunity of doing something, and discovering their Posture and Numbers, he sent two that Night by Land to discover their Camp, which was not distant above a Mile and a Half. Unluckily they had been some how discovered that Evening, so that their two Men could not discover any Fires, which the Enemy had put out upon Rogers's being seen; they however crept as near as possible to where they imagined they must be, till one of the two was fired upon by a Centinel, so near, that the Wad went into the Thigh with the Shot. They both got back, and Rogers going out afterwards on the same Intent, was almost surrounded, but got back safe. In the Morning a French Battoe passed them with 15 Men, and lay at a little Distance upon their Paddles, betwixt Rogers and us. He also saw a few French Regulars upon the Hills close behind, so that he perceived they designed to surround him on all Sides.

He immediately launched two of his Battoes, which he drew up on the Beach, and before he got them manned, another French Canoe, with 13 Men, came up, and stood out towards the Middle of the Lake, opposite to him. He had 7 in each of his; the rest remained on Shore, with the third Battoe. One he ordered to keep that with 13 in Play, but by no Means let them come within Musket Shot. He went towards the one with 15; they had each a Wall-piece or large Blunderbuss; they ply'd off and on, till Rogers taking his Opportunity, when their Broadside was towards him, fired his Wall-piece. This so terrified them, that they immediately ply'd homewards. He got between them and the Middle of the Lake, and pursued them towards the Shore, which he came so near, that the Men he left there, and posted behind Trees, gave them a smart Volley, right into them, and killed, it is thought, several. The other Battoe was likewise in Pursuit of the other Canoe, and fired upon it; they both fled towards their Home, and Rogers close after them. He saw about 150 Men flock down upon the Shore, among whom he discharged his Wall-piece, and made them disperse behind Trees. He then immediately retired, and called to his People ashore to put off, otherwise they would be taken or killed. They had not got all on board, when they were fired upon from the Hill where they lay, and one of them had about a Dozen Holes made in his Blanket, yet not wounded. Rogers brought all his Men safe back, with only one wounded as above."

November 24. Tuesday Morning last, about 4 o'Clock, a smart Shock of an Earthquake was felt by the Inhabitants of this City: It continued nigh three Minutes, but has done no Damage that we can hear of. We are informed, that it was very sensibly felt by the People of Oysterbay, Newton, Jamaica and Flushing, on Long-Island, and in many other Parts of this Province.

Saturday Night last, Capt. SHIRLEY, Son to his Excellency Major General SHIRLEY, died here.

Extract of a Letter from Albany, dated the 14th of November, 1755.

"Within two Days past three Expresses arrived to his Excellency General SHIRLEY, from the Camp at Lake-George, informing, That Intelligence was arrived there, that a large Number of French had been seen on the East Side of Lake George, to the Southward of the Narrows, supposed to be on their March to our Camp, and desiring a Reinforcement. The Evening the first Express arrived, his Excellency had a general Council of the Governor, Lieutenant-Governors, and all the Field Officers, which held till 12 o'Clock at Night.----Impress Warrants were issued, for all the Waggons and Horses that could be got, to carry Provisions up to the Army, and Orders given for the immediate March of 1000 Provincial Troops, incamped near this City; the greatest Part of whom went off Yesterday. Orders were also sent for assembling the Militia of this County, and 400 Men from each of the adjoining Counties of Dutchess and Ulster. Yesterday Morning the General held a Council of War of the Field Officers of the British Troops here. The Result of which was, an Order that 600 Regulars should immediately march to the Assistance of Major General JOHNSON, with 4 Field Pieces, and a Detachment of the Royal Train of Artillery. After all, I doubt whether there is any great Body of the Enemy nearer than Ticonderoga, which the French are fortifying for a Barrier.

In another, of the 16th Instant, the same Gentleman writes, that since my last, dated two Days ago, another Express to the General arrived from the Camp. Capt. Rogers, who commanded a scouting Party, at the Time the Indians reported that they saw a great Army, about 20 Miles from our Camp, denies what they had declared to be true, tho' the latter still insist upon the Truth of their Report. I think the Indian Story must be false; for if an Army of 8 or 9000 Men had been within 20 Miles of our Camp on Tuesday, we should have heard more of them by Thursday Night, when the last Express sat out, especially as the Scouts lately come in, have seen neither Men nor their Tracks. I believe General Johnson is of the same Opinion, for he seems to say, that it will be unnecessary to send the Regular Troops up to him. They are, however, ready to march, with the Train, at a Moment's Warning. There are also 1200 of the Militia now in this Town. We are impatient for further Advice from the Camp."

PHILADELPHIA, *November* 20.

On Tuesday Morning last, between Three and Four o'Clock, we had a smart Shock of an Earthquake here, which lasted about two Minutes.

Yesterday a Gentleman arrived Express from BERKS County, who brought with him two Scalps, one of a white Person, the other of an Indian; and the following Deposition.

BERKS County, *Pennsylvania*, ss.

JACOB MORGAN, a Captain in Colonel Weiser's Regiment, being sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God, doth depose, and say, That on Sunday, the fifteenth Day of this Instant November, about Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, he, the Deponent, Mr. Philip Weiser, and Mr. Peter Weiser, two Sons of Col. Weiser, set out from Heidelberg towards Dietrick Six's, to get Intelligence of the Mischief done at Tolhes, or thereabouts, and to get a Number of Men to join them to go and seek for the Persons who were scalped by the Indians, and to help, in the best Manner they could, the poor distressed Inhabitants: That about nine Miles from Mr. Weiser's they found a Girl, about six Years old, scalped, but not above, and a vast Number of People there, but he knows not at whose House it was, nor the Name of the Child: That at the Request of the People there, Mr. Weiser's Sons, and the Deponent, went back to Mr. Weiser's for Powder and Lead; That about Two o'Clock, Yesterday Morning, they were alarmed at Mr. Weiser's with an Account that the Indians had beset George Dollinger's House, and his Family were fled; whereupon Philip Weiser and the Deponent, and a Person whose Name the Deponent knows not, set off immediately, and, at Christopher Weiser's, overtook a large Company, consisting of about 100 Men, and with them proceeded to George Dollinger's, and surrounded his House, where they found a deal of Damage done, and in the Garden a Child about eight Years old, Daughter of one Cola, lying dead, and scalped, which they buried: That the whole Company went on to the Plantation of Abraham Snyder, and found in a Corn Field the Wife of Cola, and a Child about eight or nine Years old, both dead, and scalped, and in the House they found another Child of the said Cola's, about ten Years old, dead, and scalped; but the Deponent knows not of what Sex either of these two Children was: That while they were preparing a Grave, they were alarmed by the Firing of a Gun, and flying to their Arms, they went (a few only staying to take Care of the Dead) to the Place from whence the Sound came, and about Half a Mile from the Place they came from, they met with a Company (one of whom had indiscreetly discharged his Musket) and then went back to bury the Dead; in their Return, they found the Scalp of a white Person: That having buried the Women and Children, they went to Thomas Brown's, in whose House they found a dead Man scalped, whose Name the Deponent thinks was Philip, by Trade a Shoemaker, but he knows no more of him: That the Company increased fast, and were now above 130 Men, who marched on the Shamokin Road to near Dietrick Six's; about Half a Mile from whose House they found Caspar Spring dead, and scalped; and having buried him, they marched about one Hundred Rods, and found one Bestinger dead, and scalped, and buried him: That at the same Distance from Bestinger, they found an Indian Man dead, and scalped; which Indian, it was generally believed, was a Delaware;---Mr. Frederick Weiser scalped him the Day before: That 20 of their Body, who had gone a little out of the Road, about 2 Miles from Dietrick Six's, found (as the Deponent and the rest of the Company were informed, and as he believes without any Doubt) a Child of one Jacob Woolf's (he cannot say whether Boy or Girl) which was scalped; its Age the Deponent does not know, but the Father carried it to be buried in his Arms, as they were informed: That the Deponent was informed by Mr. Frederick Weiser, that a Company, with whom he had been the Day before, had buried John Leinberger, and Rudolph Candel, whom they found scalped: That the Deponent and Company finding no more scalped or wounded, they returned, being then, by the continual Arrival of fresh Persons, about 300 Men, to George Dollinger's: That Caspar Spring's Brains were beat out, had two Cuts in his Breast, was shot in the Back, and otherwise cruelly used, which a Regard to Decency forbids mentioning: And that Bestinger's Brains were beat out, his Mouth much mangled, one of his Eyes cut out, and one of his Ears gashed, and had two Knives lying on his Breasts; and that the whole Country thereabouts desert their Habitations, and send away all their Houshold Goods; the Horses and Cattle are in the Corn Fields, and every Thing in the utmost Disorder, and the People quite in Despair. And further, that he heard of much Mischief done by burning Houses and Barns; but not having been where it was reported to have been done, he chooses not to have any Particulars thereof inserted in this Deposition.

JACOB MORGAN.

Sworn at Reading, the 18th Day of November, Anno Domini, 1755, before us JONAS SEELY, HENRY HARRY, and JAMES READ.

Besides the Persons mentioned in the above Deposition, one Sebastian Brosius was murdered and scalped, whose Scalp was brought here the Beginning of this Week, having been retaken from an Indian.

An Extract of a Letter from Lieutenant Colonel STEPHEN, of the Virginia Regiment, dated at Winchester, November 9, 1755.

"I wrote you fully by the Post, and have no News, only that the Party of 150 are arrived, and unluckily came in too soon, so that they saw none of the Enemy.

The proper Steps to be taken to secure your Frontiers, are to set about a Chain of Forts directly. One at Ray's Town, another in the Fork of the North and South Branch of Juniata, some others up Susquehanna, at the proper Passes. Unless this is done, the pacific Gentlemen of your Colony will either from Necessity change their Principles, or have their Throats cut. I have Reason to believe, from undoubted Intelligence, that a grand Design is formed against your Province by the Enemy, and nothing but Unanimity and vigorous Measures can prevent the Success of their Designs. It is very practicable yet, let us therefore redeem lost Time."

November 27. On Saturday Night last, at Eight o'Clock, we had a small Shock of an Earthquake here, which lasted about Half a Minute.

It is said that a Bill for giving SIXTY THOUSAND POUNDS to the King's Use, sent up Yesterday by the Assembly, will this Day be passed by the Governor, to the great Joy of all that wish well to this of late unhappy Province. The honourable Proprietaries have, on their Part, made a free Gift of FIVE THOUSAND POUNDS for the Defence of the Country. By the *Militia Law*, passed on Tuesday, those who bear Arms, may be formed into regular Bodies, with due Order and Discipline, and thereby become better able to serve their Country, more secure in themselves, and more terrible to their Enemies. And by the Act for giving *Sixty Thousand Pounds* (which Sum is immediately to be struck in Paper Bills) Money will be furnished to buy Arms, and Ammunition, and pay such as shall bravely go forth in Defence of their Country. It is hoped that the cruel Spirit of Party, which has for some time past raged so violently among us, will now subside; and that we shall no longer, by our Dissentions, continue Enemies to our Friends, or Friends to our Country's Enemies.

Yesterday

Yesterday an Express arrived here from Easton, in Northampton County, with Advice, that the Moravian Settlement of Gnadenhutten, on Mahony Creek, is cut off by the French Indians, and that two of the People only escaped. On receiving this Intelligence at Easton, they immediately sent over to the Jerseys to Colonel Anderson, requesting him to send some Men to their Assistance; upon which he immediately came himself with a Company, and marched in Pursuit of the Enemy, as he did most readily on a late Occasion of the same Kind. At the same time a Number of the Inhabitants of Northampton got under Arms, and went likewise in Search of the Indians.

Extract of a Letter from *New-York, November* 24.

"*We expect the Governor* SHIRLEY *and* HARDY *down To-morrow. The Rumour that Fort* Lyman *was to be attacked by the French proves false; and* DUNBAR's *Forces remain at* Albany. *It is uncertain whether General* JOHNSON *will move this Winter toward the French. By a Letter from* Oswego, *we have Advice, that the* Onondago *Indians that returned from* Oswegatche, *say, that the French have built five Vessels at Fort* Frontenac, *and while they were there they had got their Masts in. One of the Vessels had two Masts, the others one each. The Indians judged them as large as those we have at* Oswego."

ANNAPOLIS, *December* 4.

Some Gentlemen who accompanied his Excellency our Governor to *New-York*, returned to Town Yesterday: By them we are informed, that the Public Business will detain his Excellency yet a few Days, and that he cannot be expected Home till the latter End of next Week. His Excellency's Presence is greatly wish'd for.

Sunday last arrived here the two last of the Vessels from *Nova-Scotia*, with *French* Neutrals for this Place, which makes Four within this Fortnight; who have brought upwards of Nine Hundred of them. While they have lain in this Port, the Town has been at considerable Charge in supporting them, as they appear very needy, and quite exhausted in Provisions; and as it cannot be expected that the Charge or Burden of maintaining such a Multitude can be supported by the Inhabitants of *Annapolis*, (a small Part of the public Society when compared to the People of the whole Province, and who, upon this Occasion have been very liberal), it will be necessary soon to disperse them to different Parts of the Province. As the poor People have been deprived of their Settlements in *Nova-Scotia*, and sent here (for some very Political Reason) bare and destitute, Christian Charity, nay common Humanity, calls on every one, according to their Ability, to lend their Assistance and Help to those Objects of Compassion. We are told that Three of those Vessels are to sail with the first fair Wind, (which we heartily wish soon to happen) one for *Patuxent* River, another to *Choptank*, and a third to *Wicomico*, there to wait the Orders of his Excellency our Governor.

Last Saturday several of the Gentlemen of our Neighbourhood, who lately went out Volunteers, to the Westward, return'd Home again, having seen no Indians, except one, and he was very Quiet, for they found him Dead.

We are informed by a late Northern Paper, that about Twenty Days ago, a French Vessel of 700 Tons, laden with Provisions for *Louisburg*, was taken by the *Otter* Sloop and sent into *Halifax*.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, ANNAPOLIS, *Entered*,

Brigantine Philip and James, James French, from Antigua;
Brigantine Endeavour, John Jones, from Cork.

Cleared for Departure,

Brigantine Fox, Cornelius Robertson, for Barbados;
Sloop Anne, Peter Dobson, for New-York.

To be SOLD *to the Highest Bidder, on Friday the 12th of this Instant* December,

A TRACT of Land lying in *Prince George's* County, about 6 Miles from *Queen-Anne*, called *Mary's Delight*, containing about 400 Acres; the Plantation which formerly belong'd to *Thomas Odell*, whereon is a Dwelling-House and other Improvements, and a good Orchard. The Sale to be on the Premises.

WILLIAM THOMAS.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Brigantine ENDEAVOUR, *Capt.* JOHN JONES *from* CORK,

A PARCEL of likely healthy Indented Servants, of both Sexes; among the Men are several Tradesmen, *&c.*

To be Sold by the Subscriber, on board the said Brigantine now lying at *Severn* Ferry.

WILLIAM GOVANE.

N. B. In Eight Days Time she will Sail for *Patapsco*.

STOLEN on the 20th of *November* past, from the Subscriber, a Two-mast Sailing Boat, 15 Feet Keel, with a black Bottom, her Sides pay'd with Turpentine, the upper Streak painted Yellow with black round Spots, the same on the Stern, her upper Works within painted Red, she is branded in several Places with S B (the S turn'd the wrong Way) has an Iron Chain fix'd to her Stem by a large Staple clinch'd, she had about 10 Fathom of Cable, with a Pig of Iron for an Anchor. About the same time a Boat lying off against Mr. *Tilden's* Landing, was robb'd of two Sprit-sails, some Bed Cloaths, mark'd Bottles, and several other Things.

Any Person who takes up the said Boat, and secures her so that her Owner at *Worton* Creek, *Kent* County, *Maryland*, may have her again, shall be reasonably rewarded, by

RICHARD KINNARD.

RAN away, a few days since, from the Subscriber, in *Kent* County, an *Irish* Servant Man named, *Alexander Garway*, a Weaver by Trade, and has been in the Army, he is well-set, of a middling Stature, dark Complexion, wears his own Hair which is black and curls; he speaks good *English*. He had on and with him, a Country Kersey Jacket lined with Black, a pair of old Trowsers, a new Felt Hat, a Pair of old Yarn Stockings, good Shoes, a brown Serge Jacket with yellow Metal Buttons, Muslin Neckcloth, one fine and coarse Shirt, a good Bed-Tick, and a coarse Sheet. It is suppos'd he will put on the best of the Cloathing.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and secures him so that he may be had again, or brings him home, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

JANE JAMESON.

COMMITTED to *Baltimore* County Goal, on the 12th of *November*, a Negro Man who calls himself *Sam*; is a lusty well-set Fellow, and says he belongs to *John Gunston*, *Lancaster* County.

Committed likewise, on the 16th, a Negro Fellow, who calls himself *Duncan* (or some such Name) speaks very bad *English*, says his Master's Name is *Wood*; by what can be understood from him, it is supposed he has Wrought in a Mine Bank, and run away about *June* or *July* past.

Their Masters are desired to come and pay Charges, and take them away.

CHARLES CHRISTIE, Sheriff of *Baltimore* County.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Thomas Turner*, in *Prince George's* County, near *Queen-Anne*; taken up as a Stray, a middle siz'd Bay Mare, has no visible Brand, her left Eye out, both ears Cropp'd, and a Saddle Spot on the near Side.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Alexander Williams*, near *Annapolis*, taken up as a Stray, a Bay Mare, about 12 Hands high, has a Star in her Forehead, and has a Brand (suppos'd to have been done with a flat Piece of Iron) on the Buttock.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Samuel Massey*, near *Chester-Town* Ferry, taken up as a Stray, a Bay Mare, that is neither dock'd nor branded, a natural Trotter, and has lost her Eye on the Off-Side.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *George Iiams*, junr. taken up as a Stray, a Bay Horse, with a mealy Nose, and a Star in his Forehead, branded on the near Shoulder odly, (with something resembling G A with a Cross between them, all join'd in one), and on the near Buttock S.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

RAN away from the Snow *Thetis*, lying at the Mouth of *Hunger-River*, on the 8th of *November* last, an indented Servant Man, named *William Thompson*, aged 22 Years, about 5 Feet 4 Inches high. Had on when he went away, a blue Pea Jacket, an old red Cap, a Pair of Osnabrigs Petticoat Trowsers, a Pair of broad ribb'd Worsted Hose, and a Pair of new Shoes. He is pretty remarkable, having a Scar under his Chin, and is bald on the Back of his Head, about the Breadth of a Shilling; he is much given to Liquor, and may have a Pass, as he is a good Scholar; he went to *Port-Tobacco* in Mr. *Edward Smoot's* Schooner.

Whoever apprehends the said Servant, and delivers him to Mr. *Bryan Philpot*, Merchant, in *Baltimore*, shall receive Two Pistoles Reward, and reasonable Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *James Richard*, near *Baltimore-Town*, taken up as Strays, a middle siz'd brown Mare, and a young Colt; the Mare is branded on the near Buttock and Shoulder with something like a Horse-Shoe, and has a small Star in her Forehead.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

RAN away in *July* last, from the Subscriber, living in *Talbot* County, *Maryland*, a Convict Servant, named *William Dawson*, alias *Denson*, a Labourer, a short stubbed Fellow, about 30 Years of Age, he is an *Englishman* and has a Sort of a Lisp in his Speech: Had on an old brown colour'd Coat, a blue ribb'd Everlasting Jacket, an old Castor Hat, and an old Pair of Leather Breeches.

Also Ran away on the 27th of *October* last, when on his Journey from *Kent* Island to *Oxford*, a Convict Servant Man, named *Benjamin Hensly*, he rode a small Sorrel Gelding, branded on the near Buttock with an O, with a Crook at the Bottom of it, and has two of his fore Teeth in the upper Jaw broke. *Hensly* had on a new felt Hat, a Pair of Leather Breeches, a coarse brown colour'd Coat, half worn, a Jacket of the same, a new Check Shirt, a new *Lungee* Handkerchief, about his Neck, and a Pair of new grey Woollen Stockings. He carried with him a Pair of Saddle Bags, wherein was 3 ruffled Shirts, a Pair of new Cloth Breeches, 2 or 3 Pair of fine Cotton Stockings, and 2 or 3 Muslin Cravats, which tis supposed he may put on to make a better Appearance: He is a *Londoner*, behaves somewhat politely to his betters, has a swing on one Side in his Gait, but not affected, his Head is remarkably small. It is supposed he has steer'd North, and may be found in some Barber's Shop in *Philadelphia*, having wrought 15 Years in *London* at that Trade.

Whoever secures either of these Servants in any Goal in *Maryland*, or *Pennsylvania*, and advertises the same in the Gazette of the Province where taken, shall be paid FIVE POUNDS Reward for either, together with the Expence of the Advertisement, by

HENRY CALLISTER.

THE Subscribers having been a long Time confin'd in *Cæcil* County Goal for Debt, and not having wherewith to satisfy their Creditors, intend to apply to the next General Assembly for their Relief.

WILLIAM GRACE.
ANNE GARRISH.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Benjamin Beall*, living at the lower End of *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a small Black Horse, with a Snip on his Nose, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock with the Letter R, and paces naturally.

The Owner may have him again, or proving his Property, and paying Charges.

Lately PUBLISHED, *and* [*now*] *to be* SOLD *by the Printer hereof*, (*Price* 1*s.* 6*d.*)

THE CASE between PHILIP HAMMOND and the late VACHEL DENTON, Stated:

By *JOHN BRICE*.

THE Subscriber has now, as an Assistant in the Public School of this City, one Mr. *Clajon*, who was some Time ago recommended in the *Maryland Gazette* by the Rev. Mr. *Addison* (with whom he resided for 18 Months) as a Man of virtuous Principles, and very well qualified to teach the LATIN, GREEK, and FRENCH LANGUAGES. He is willing to undergo any Examination, to satisfy such as are inclin'd to employ him, of his Sufficiency for the Charge; and begs Leave to assure them, that his utmost Regard to the Improvement of such as shall be committed to his Care, shall never be wanting.

JOHN WILMOT.

The said *Clajon* proposes to keep an EVENING-SCHOOL, to teach young Gentlemen the FRENCH LANGUAGE, in a very plain and easy Method, and on very reasonable Terms. He is to be spoke with either at the Free-School, or at Mr. *Evitt's*.

STRAY'D or stolen from the Subscriber, at *Baltimore-Town*, about the last of *July*, a likely Strawberry-Roan Gelding, about 14 Hands high, shod before, has very little Ears and is trimm'd round them, his Mane hangs on the off Side, a Switch Tail, and paces dull, has been used to the Draught and may have some Marks, but not branded.

Whoever secures the said Gelding, so that I may have him again, shall have a Pistole Reward; and for the Discovery of the Thief, so as he may be apprehended and brought to Justice, Two Pistoles, paid by

WILLIAM DALLAM.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Edward Edwards*, taken up as a Stray, a very ſmall Dark Iron-Grey Mare; ſhe has no perceivable Brand; but has a ſtanding and hanging Mane, a grey Head and Tail, two large Saddle Spots near her Withers, and is about 4 or 5 Years old.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Endemon Baker*, in *Baltimore*, near *Frederick* County Line, taken up as a Stray, a ſmall brown Bay Gelding, with a white Spot in his Forehead, branded on the near Shoulder with TH joined, or ſomething like it, and on the near Buttock E.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Robert Barns*, at *Elk-Ridge*, taken up as a Stray, a middle-ſiz'd dark Dun Horſe, branded on the near Buttock RB (join'd in one), has a hanging Mane, and Sprig Tail, and appears to be hip-ſhot.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property and paying Charges.

To be Sold, for Bills of Exchange or Gold Currency,

A TRACT of Land called *Creagh's Enlargement*, containing 274 Acres; Part of *Barns's Luck*, containing 80 Acres, all in one Tract, lying near *Delaware Bottom*, on *Elk-Ridge*, with Dwelling Houſes, Out-Houſes, and two Orchards, not exceeding nine Years ſince planted.

For Title and Terms apply to Mr. *Brian Philpot*, Merchant, in *Baltimore-Town*.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, on the ſecond of *November* paſt, living in *Annapolis*, a Servant Man named *Thomas Aldridge*, a Sawyer and Carpenter by Trade, is full fac'd, and freſh-colour'd, a middle-ſiz'd ſquat Man, and is an *Engliſhman*: He had with him when he run away, a brown Coat, a Pair of Everlaſting Breeches, good Shoes and Stockings, a light colour'd old Pea Jacket, two Oſnabrigs Shirts, and wears a Wig.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Servant and brings him to the Subſcriber, ſhall have a Piſtole Reward, if taken in this County; and if in any other County two Piſtoles, and reaſonable Charges, beſides what the Law allows; and if ſecured any where out of this Province, ſhall have the ſame Reward of two Piſtoles, upon giving the Subſcriber Notice thereof, paid by

WILLIAM ROBERTS.

JOHN DOWNS, BLOCK-MAKER, PUMP-MAKER, *and* TURNER, *from* NEW-YORK, *living at Capt.* William Sargeant's *oppoſite to the Priſon, in* ANNAPOLIS,

MAKES Ship Tops, Steering-Wheels, Gun-Carriages for Land or Sea, Dray-Carriages ſuitable for the Land Service, Cartridge-Boxes, Rammer and Sponge-Staffs, Fuſees and Falſe-Fires, Linſtocks, and ſundry Sorts of other Work, at the moſt reaſonable Rates.

CORNELIUS HOWARD, BLACKSMITH,

At his Shop, over againſt Mrs. McLeod's, *near the Gate, in* ANNAPOLIS,

MAKES or Repairs any kind of Black-ſmith's Work, either with the Hammer or File, and all Sorts of Gunſmith's Work, and likewiſe Shoeing of Horſes, having lately engaged one of the beſt Shoers and Farriers in the Province; in the beſt Manner, and at the cheapeſt Rates.

N. B. He keeps the County Standard for Weights and Meaſures.

TO BE SOLD,

A VERY good Tract of Land, containing 550 Acres, or thereabouts, lying within two Miles of the City of *Annapolis*, on the North Side of *South-River*, whereon is a very good Dwelling Houſe, Kitchen, Barn, Stable, Negro Quarter, and every convenient Out-houſe; alſo two very good young Orchards, and a great deal of good Meadow Land. For Title and Terms apply to

THOMAS BALDWIN.

MARY FONNEREAU,

HAVING Rented Mr. *William Reynolds's* Houſe, over againſt the Church (except a ſmall Part which he has reſerved for his own Uſe), hereby gives Notice, That ſhe has taken out Licenſe to keep TAVERN: And all Gentlemen may there have good Entertainment, for themſelves, Servants, or Horſes; the Houſe being large and very well contrived, with a good Number of Rooms for different Companies. She has good Wines, and other Liquors, and Gentlemen may depend on good Attendance, and civil Treatment, from

Their humble Servant,

MARY FONNEREAU.

TO BE SOLD,

On Wedneſday the 10th of this Inſtant December, *to the higheſt Bidder, at the Houſe of Mr.* Thomas Hamar, *in* Queen-Anne's *County, betwixt the Hours of* 10 *and* 12 *in the Forenoon,*

A TRACT of Land called *Robotham's Park*, containing 500 Acres, more or leſs, lying on the *Unicorn-Branch*, by *Spence's* Mill, near the Head of *Cheſter* River, in *Queen-Anne's* County.

Any Perſon inclined to purchaſe may be informed of the Title by applying to JAMES DICK.

To be Sold by PUBLIC VENDUE,

On Wedneſday the 10th of this Inſt. December, *at the Plantation of the late Mr.* Baruch Williams, *deceaſed, for good Bills of Exchange, Paper Currency, Gold or Silver,*

SEVERAL likely Country-born Slaves, conſiſting of Men, Women, and Children. Among them, there is a very good Cook, and one Houſe Wench who underſtands Sewing, Waſhing, Ironing and Spinning.

Likewiſe the Houſhold and Kitchen Furniture.

Alſo, a Tract of Land called *Deer Park*, containing 458 Acres, lying in *Frederick* County, near Capt. *Henry Wright Crabb's*, well Timber'd, with ſome ſmall Improvements.

For Title or Terms, apply to

JEREMIAH CRABB.

N. B. The Sale to begin at XII o'Clock, and continue till all are ſold.

THE Subſcriber, living in *Annapolis*, having ſupplied himſelf with ſeveral very good Workmen, and every Thing neceſſary, for carrying on the BLOCK-MAKER's Buſineſs, hereby gives Notice, That he will furniſh any Perſons with Blocks, for Shipping, as cheap and as good as they can be had in any Part of *America*; and will take in Pay for them, Pork, Rum, Corn, Flour, Plank, Lignum Vitæ, or Shingles. He likewiſe makes and mends Pumps for Shipping and Wells; which will fetch Water from any Depth, by an eaſy Suction: He alſo makes Carriages for Guns, at the moſt reaſonable Rates.

GAMALIEL BUTLER.

N. B. He will give 12*s.* a Cord for good Aſh, in the Round, not leſs than 8 Feet long, and 8 or 9 Inches Diameter; and if very large and clear of Knots he will give more.

To be Sold by PUBLIC VENDUE,

At George-Town, *in* Frederick *County, on Tueſday the 16th Day of* December,

THE following Tracts of Land, *viz.*

Philip and Jacob, containing 400 Acres.
Part of *Whitehaven*, containing 409 Acres.
Part of *Friendſhip*, containing 1200 Acres.

Theſe are all adjoining, and make a Body of well-timber'd Land; on which are Two Plantations, with good Orchards, four new Tobacco-Houſes framed, and all other neceſſary Houſes; and are very convenient for Trade or Cropping, lying on *Patowmack* River, about three Miles above *George-Town*, in *Frederick* County.

Part of *Addiſon's Choice*, containing 800 Acres.

This Tract lies on *Manockaſy*, within two Miles of *Frederick-Town*, in *Frederick* County.

JOHN ADDISON,
WILLIAM MURDOCK.

TO BE SOLD,

A NEAT POST-CHAISE, almoſt new, with the Harneſs. For further Particulars, enquire of the Printer hereof.

COMMITTED to my Cuſtody, as a Runaway, one *Richard Swann*, who ſays he is a Servant to Mr. *James Scroſby*, of *Middleſex* County, in *Virginia*. His Maſter is deſired to come and pay the Charges, and take him away.

CHARLES GRAHAME, Sheriff of *Calvert* County.

To be SOLD by the Subſcriber,

A TRACT of Land containing 462 and a Half Acres, at preſent in the Poſſeſſion of Mr. *Henry Watſon*, lying upon *Patowmack* River, about a Mile below the Mouth of *Rock-Creek*, having a moſt pleaſant Situation, with very good Improvements, conſiſting of a Dwelling Houſe, a Brick Waſhing Houſe, a Store and Warehouſe, and other convenient Out-houſes, with four young Orchards.

Any Perſon inclined to purchaſe may be informed of the Price and Title, by applying to

JAMES DICK.

JAMES CHALMERS, GOLDSMITH,

NOW removed to the great Brick-Houſe, near the Church in *Annapolis*, where formerly Mr. *Bowes*, Mr. *George Nelſon*, Mr. *Syng*, Mr. *Rumney*, Mrs. *Frazier*, Mr. *Runſburg*, and Mr. *Frazier*, have kept Tavern, for a great Number of Years paſt, hereby acquaints the Public, that he carries on his Buſineſs, and will furniſh any Gentlemen with any Work either in the Gold or Silverſmith's Way, in the moſt neat and faſhionable Manner, and at the cheapeſt Rates.

He further acquaints the Public, That he alſo keeps Tavern, where the old Cuſtomers, or Others, may be well treated, have good Beds and Accommodations for themſelves and Servants, and good Stabling and Provender for their Horſes, and may depend on good Uſage,

From their humble Servant,

JAMES CHALMERS.

TO BE SOLD,

A WELL-BUILT SCHOONER, juſt launched, Burthen upwards of 50 Ton, with compleat new Rigging. For further Particulars enquire of the Subſcriber, at *Annapolis*.

CHARLES CARROLL.

TO BE SOLD,

For Sterling Money, good Bills of Exchange, Gold, Silver, or Paper Currency,

THE following Tracts and Parcels of Land, *viz.*

Rover's Content,	466	Acres.
Part of *The Incloſure*,	89	
Part of *Goodluck*,	445	
Fife, - - -	78	
Beall's Chance,	290	
Father's Gift,	183	
Bread and Cheeſe Hall,	91	

Theſe are all adjoining, and make a Body of choice well timbered Land, whereon are Three Plantations, with good Orchards, lying in *Prince George's* County, within five Miles of *Bladenſburg*, ten of *Upper-Marlborough*, and ſix of the *Eaſtern Branch* Ferry.

Coupper,	113	Acres.
Part of *Layhill*,	649	
Beall's Reſerve,	380	
Drumeldry,	225	

The Four laſt mentioned lie in *Beall's Neck*, in *Frederick* County, not above twelve Miles from *Bladenſburg*, being a choice Parcel of fine Wood-Land.

Alſo 459 Acres of Land, being Part of a Tract called *Alliſon's Park*, lying likewiſe in *Frederick* County, on or near a Branch, called and known, by the Name of *Captain John's Branch*.

Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe Part of the firſt mentioned ſeven Tracts, lying in *Prince George's* County, may have the Quantity deſired, provided it be taken ſo as not to incommode the remaining Part to render it unſerviceable, or prejudice the Sale thereof; and likewiſe, any Part of the ſeveral Tracts, in *Frederick* County, in like Manner.

The Title and Terms may be known, by applying to the Subſcriber, or to *Joſias Beall*, junior, living on *Ackokick*, near *Piſcataway*, in *Prince-George's* County.

JOHN BEALL, junior.

N. B. Time will be given for the Payment of Part, on good Security, if required.

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